

May 07

Federal Communications Commission (FCC)  
445 Twelfth Street SW  
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Signature

Mary L Ward

Printed Name

Mary Ward

Address

City

State

Zip

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mlward@yahoo.com

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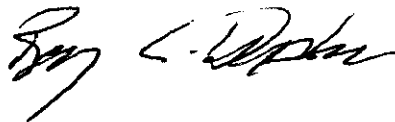
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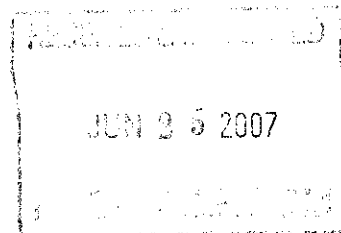
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BRIAN TURNER  
37654 27TH STREET  
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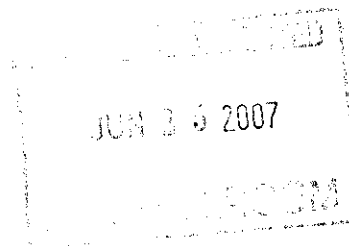
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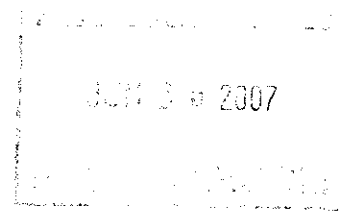


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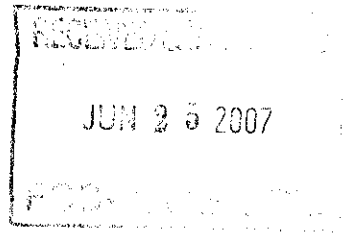
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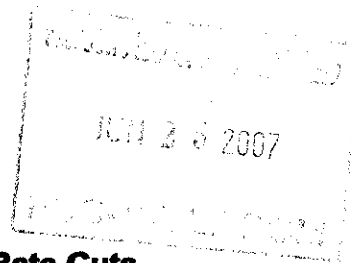
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Printed Name

Address

City

State

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Email

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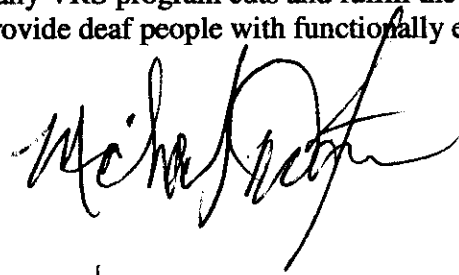
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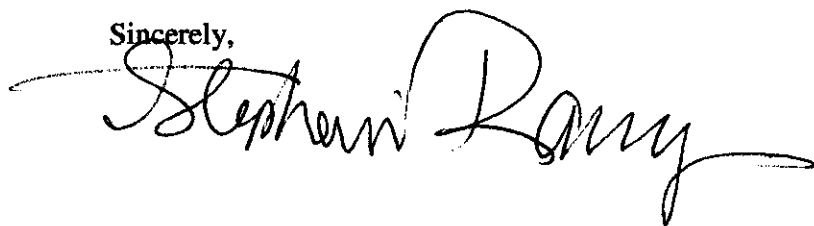
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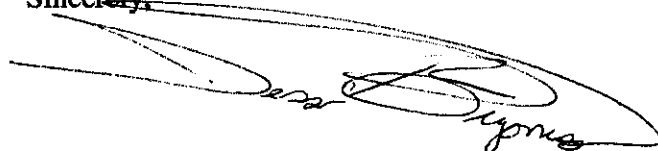
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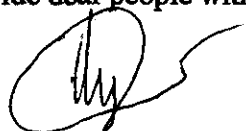
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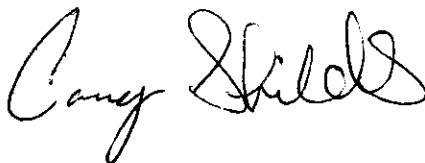
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